(ग) वसन्त विहार डिपो की मौजूदा बस संख्या 184 है । डिपुओं को नई बसों का आबंटन एक सतत प्रक्रिया है जिसका निर्धारण प्रत्येक डिपो द्वारा सेवित क्षेत्र की परिवहन आवश्यकता के आधार पर किया जाता है ।

(घ) जी, नहीं ।

(ङ) दिल्ली परिवहन निगम द्वारा दिल्ली के सभी क्षेत्रों के यातायात-सर्वेक्षण नियमित रूप से किये जाते हैं और जहां कहीं कमी महसूस की जाती है वहां सेवायें बढ़ा दी जाती हैं । वसन्त विहार के मामले में रूट संख्या 640 और 602 की सेवाओं में क्रमश: 1 और 3 बसें बढ़ाकर इन सेवाओं को सुदृढ़ बना दिया गया है ।

डी०टी०सी० में ड्राइवरों की कमी

1931. **श्री जगदीश जानी** : क्या जल-भूतल परिवहन मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या डी०टी०सी० में ड्राइवरों की कोई कमी है ; यदि हां, तो इसके क्या कारण हैं ;

(ख) यदि नहीं, तो डी टी०सी० द्वारा अपने विभिन्न मार्गों पर बसों के फेरा न लगाने के क्या कारण हैं ; और

(ग) इस संबंध में क्या कदम उठाये जा रहे हैं ?

जल-भूतल परिवहन मंत्रालय के राज्य मंत्री (श्री राजेश पायलट) : (क) और (ख) ड्राइवरों की अनुपस्थिति के कारण ट्रिप छूट जाने की नगण्य प्रतिशतता के अलावा इन ट्रिपों के छूट जाने के मुख्य कारण हैं:—ब्रेक डाउन, दुर्घटनायें, ट्राफिक जामों और विभिन्न अवसरों पर यातायात प्रबंधों के कारण संक्षेपण की वजह से बसों का विलम्ब से चलाना ।

(ग) जब भी आवश्यकता पड़ती है ड्राइवरों की भर्ती का एक नियमित कार्यक्रम है । ट्रिप न छूटें इसके लिये किये गये उपायों में प्रचालन शिड्यूल का अनुपालन किये जाने के लिये चालक दल में सख्त अनुशासन लागू करना और वाहनों का ब्रेक डाउन रोकने के लिये वाहनों का समय पर रख-रखाव शामिल हैं ।

Lack of basic facilities in Middle Schools, Vasant Vihar

1932. SHRI JAGDISH JANI: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware that MicldUe School, Vasant Vihar, New Delhi is still devoid of basic facilities;

(b) whether it is a fact that there is no proper security arrangement, seating arrangement and toilet facilities etc. due to which girl students are facing a lot of difficulties;

(c) whether it is also a fact that adequate number of teachers have not been provided to this School so far; and

(d) if so, what action is being taken in the matter?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI KRISHNA SAHI): (a) to (d) Middle School, Vasant Vihar was opened during the current academic session, *i.e.* 1987-88 and is at present functioning in tents. All the basic iacilitits like drinking water, daries for the children to sit, temporary toilets, etc. are being provided.

Some of the teachers have already-joined the school and the remaining teachers will join shortly.

Implementation of Operation Black Board

1933. SHRI KAPIL VERMA: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) what are the details of the plan and guidelines issued by Government to the different States for the successful implementation of 'Operation Black Board';

(b) whether Government have convened any meeting of the Secretaries of the Department of Educations of the different States; and

(c) if so, what are the details of the discussions held and if not, what are the reasong therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI KRISHNA SAHI) (a) Operation Blackboard lays down the minimum level of facilities to be provided in all primary schools. There are three interdependent components of the scheme: *(i)* Provision of at ieast two reasonably large all-leather rooms with a deep verandah along with separate toilet facilities for boys and girls. The funds for this activity will be provided out of NREP/RLEGP programmes, (ii) Provision of atleast two teachers, as far as possible one of them a woman, in every primary school and <iii) provision of essential teaching arid learning material including blackboards, maps charts, a small library, toys and games and some equipment for work experience.

This scheme is to be implemented in municipal areas as well as community development blocks in all primary Schools *(viz.,* schools upto Class IV or V) run by Government, Local bodies, panchayat raj institutions and recognised aided institutions. 20 per cent of the blocks/municipal areas of the State are to be covered in 87-88, 30 per cent in 88-89 and the remaining 50 per cent in 89-90. The deficiencies in the essential items, 2nd teachers and buildings are to be calculated at[1] the block level with regard to each school, on the basis of a survey conducted iri the targeted blocks for this year and the Vth All India Educational Survey data for the remaining 2 years. The requirement of funds for each State is to be considered and sanctioned by a State Level Empowered Committee which will also have Government of India representation. The minimum availability norms and indicative costs of essential items and buildings have been provided to the State Governments.

(b) and (c) A Conference of State Education Secretaries and Directors of Education was convened on 25th April, 1987 in New Delhi. The meeting discussed the following matters—Operation Blackboard; Non-formal Education Programme; Micro level planning for retention; Mass orientation of teachers and District Institutes of Education.

Dtvelopment df Sports in Villages of Gujarat

1934. SHRI RAMSINGBHAI PATALIYABHAI RATHVAKOLI; Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to, state:

(ft) what steps are being taken to raise the standard of sports in the villages of the country particularly in Gujarat;

(b) whether any steps are being taken to discover and develop natural talents in rural areas that is tribal boys and girls who are naturally good at Archery and whether they are being trained and their skills being . developed;

(c) if so, what are the details thereof and if not, what are the reasons therefor; and

(d) what is the amount spent in various parts of Gujarat during lst January, 1986 to 31st October, 1987 for the development of sports, games and youths?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS AND WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI MARGARET ALVA).- (a) to (c) Sports is a state subject and the primary responsibility is of the State Governments. However, with a view to broad base sports in the country, a